

## BOARD/COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION

Mexican American Cultural Center Advisory Board

Recommendation Number: (20180110-0E4) LARP and proposed new Residency Programs

BE IT RESOLVED that the Mexican American Cultural Center Advisory Board recommends to write a letter to the Mayor and Council, the acting City Manager, Parks and Recreation staff and Board, the Hispanic/Latino Quality of Life Commission and the Cultural Equity office stating that the Advisory Board of the Emma S. Barrientos Mexican American Cultural Center objects to the implementation of the proposed Arts Access Program.

Further the letter must state that the advisory board insists that the original contract with existing LARP artists which established an end date of 2019 be honored. It is equally important that the correspondence include a statement indicating that neither the ESB-MACC Advisory Board, African American Quality of Life Commission and Asian Quality of Life Commission or the affected artists were fully informed or given ample opportunity to participate in the development of a program that potentially has far reaching negative effects for the community and Hispanic/Latino artists.

Date of Approval: January 10, 2018

Record of the vote: Unanimous on an 8-0 vote, Members Vale-Castillo and Cerda-Prazak was off the dais.

Attest: Harland Zannor